ABSTRACT AMENDMENTS

Replace the Abstract with:

~~Disclosed is an~~ An elevator control device which realizes, in a multi-car system ~~an~~, operation control superior in transportation efficiency. ~~First~~ A first shunting device ~~(22)~~ outputs a first shunting command for moving a car which has responded to a call request to a ~~predetermined~~ shunting floor. ~~Blocked~~ A blocked state detection device ~~(23) judges generation of~~ detects a blocked state in which a succeeding car cannot run due to a preceding car being in a standby state at a shunting floor, and outputs blocked-state-generation information. ~~Second~~ A second shunting device ~~(24)~~ outputs a second shunting command for moving the preceding car in the standby state to a new shunting floor based on the blocked-state-generation information. Further, a collective operation control device ~~(25)~~ collectively controls the operation of each car based on information ~~on~~ for each car, the first shunting command from the first shunting device ~~(22)~~, and the second shunting command from the second shunting device ~~(24)~~.

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